

**Coastal Impact Assistance Program (CIAP)  
Required Information and Selection Criteria for Projects Nominated for CIAP  
Funding**

**Information required for all CIAP project nomination submittals:**

1. Project Title: *Weeks Bay Marsh Creation & Shore Protection/Commercial Canal*
2. Entity/Individual nominating the project: *Vermilion Parish/Judge Edwards and Sherrill Sagrera*
3. Contact Information (Name, Address, Telephone, Email): *Judge Edwards 337.893-0268, Sherrill Sagrera 337.893-0368, and Charlie Stemmens 337.369-6623 Extension 3*
4. Total CIAP Funds Requested: *\$100,000.00*
5. Parish CIAP Funds Proposed: *\$100,000.00*
6. State CIAP Funds Requested: *\$0.00*
7. Infrastructure Funds Proposed: *N/A*
8. Description and Location of Project: *This project is being submitted in coordination with Iberia Parish who will use \$100,000 of Parish CIAP funds to creation marsh to build land mass and create vegetative wetlands. The project will utilize methods proven to create sediment deposition fields that enhance natural processes to create land mass between Weeks Bay and the GIWW as demonstrated in the similar referenced parish projects.*
9. Project Type (from list below of authorized CIAP fund uses): *Type 1*
10. Project Justification: *This project would help move freshwater and sediment westward to help sustain agriculture in Vermilion Parish and to create wetlands in the Weeks Bay area. It would create a vegetative filter to help trap sediments and filter freshwater to help reduce turbidity in the Acadiana Bays.*
11. Project cost share (Types and amounts of non-CIAP funds proposed, if any):  
*N/A*